

Personalised to parents of I6 Geographers
11th January 2010

Dear Parents

Fieldwork is a compulsory element of the 'A' level Geography specification. It involves data collection and analysis, using statistical skills, and will be part of the summer examinations. Therefore, I have organised a residential trip from Friday 19th March, leaving school at 2.30pm, to Sunday 21st March, arriving back at school by 5.30pm. We are going to Preston Montford Field Studies Centre near Shrewsbury, Shropshire. This is an excellent location that we have used for many years.

We will be testing hypotheses on fluvial geomorphology in Ashes Hollow, Long Mynd, and then studying flood control in Shrewsbury on the River Severn. Both days will provide excellent reinforcement for work completed in class as well as experience of fieldwork techniques.

The cost of the weekend to parents is £112 per pupil. School pays half the real cost because of the educational benefit. This covers all accommodation, tuition, insurance and transport costs. The girls will be accompanied by Mrs Mason and will receive expert tuition from the staff at Preston Montford.

I would be grateful if you could make cheques payable to MTGS and complete the slip below at your earliest convenience. Further information will be provided in due course.

Yours sincerely

M Hart
Head of Geography

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Reply slip

Lower Sixth Geography Field Course 19-21st March 2010

NameForm

I give permission forto attend the above course. I have included a cheque for £112 payable to MTGS.

Medical condition (s) experienced by my daughter.....

Medication to be carried

Dietary requirements.....

Daytime / Evening contact nos

I give Mrs Mason / Centre staff permission to act 'in loco parentis' should the need arise .

Signed